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Dear Sir:

This Communication is submitted to make the claims the same in the files of Reissue Application No. 10/621,637 and Reexamination Proceeding Control No. 90/006,209 pursuant to a Decision, *Sua Sponte*, to Merge Reissue and Reexamination Proceedings, mailed March 14, 2008. This paper is timely filed by the deadline for

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Applicants believe that they do not owe excess claim fees. Applicants have already paid for all of the claims in the respective Reissue and Reexamination proceedings. However, if it is deemed that fees are due, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees to Deposit Account No. 19-0733.

A **Harmonized Claim Set**, reflecting amendments made to the Reissue claims, begins on page 3.

Remarks begin on page 34.

Attachment A, providing the Harmonized Claim Set and reflecting amendments made to the Reexamination claims, begins on page 38.

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